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Title: NOVEL ANTIFUNGAL BACTERIUM AND COMPOSITIONS

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

Pages Specification 22 Claims 2 Abstract

Declaration [To be Filed at a Later Date]

Enclosures:

- Patent Application Cover Sheet (1 page);
- Check in the amount of \$375.00; and
- Postcard.

This application is a continuation-in-part (and claims the benefit of priority under 35 USC 120) of U.S. application serial no. 60/343,513, filed December 21, 2001, and U.S. application serial no. 10/324,240, filed December 19, 2002. The disclosure of the prior applications is considered part of (and is incorporated by reference in) the disclosure of this application.

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